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## Application No. Applicant(s) 10/786,331 KITAHARA, TSUYOSHI Interview Summary Examiner Art Unit Paul D. Kim 3729 All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel): (1) Paul D. Kim. (3) (4)\_\_\_\_ (2) Chid Lyer. Date of Interview: 04 September 2007. Type: a) $\boxtimes$ Telephonic b) $\square$ Video Conference c) Personal (copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No. If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_. Claim(s) discussed: 17,18 and 21. Identification of prior art discussed: Agreement with respect to the claims $f \mid \square$ was reached. $q \mid \square$ was not reached. $h \mid \square$ N/A. Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Discussed the non-elect claims 17, 18 and 21. The claims 17, 18 and 21 were cencelled in the amendment filed on 7/24/2007. (A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.) THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

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